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WEST GERMANY - CZECHOSLOVAKIA: Bonn will use the opening round of political talks, expected to start in Prague about 30 March, to test the firmness of the Czechoslovak position that West Germany must declare the 1938 Munich agreement invalid ab initio,

[redacted] if Prague persists in its demand, Bonn will not permit the talks to move into a more intensive phase.

[redacted] the Germans do not wish to enter full-fledged negotiations or be forthcoming until some break occurs in the domestically controversial Berlin talks. Despite the hard line publicly enunciated by party first secretary Husak [redacted]

[redacted] Prague, nevertheless, might be flexible on the Munich agreement problem.

ARGENTINA: Meetings of high-level military leaders in the aftermath of the riots in Cordoba on Monday have sparked widespread rumors of a government crisis including the imminent resignation of President Levingston. The President appeared to be speaking with the authority of the junta of the commanders in chief yesterday, however, when he ordered the arrest of top Cordoba labor leaders and a government take-over of the major provincial unions. Even if these tough measures, coupled with the resignation of the unpopular governor of Cordoba, are successful in defusing further antigovernment activity, changes in the government and a reappraisal of Levingston's political and economic policies are probable.

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